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## Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

## Listing of Claims

- 1. (Currently amended) Sachet for a pharmaceutical composition, comprising:
- a paper outer-layer on outside of the sachet;
- ii) a bonding layer;
- iii) a barrier layer bonded to the paper by the bonding layer; and
- iv) a sealing layer as the inner layer;

## wherein:

said bonding layer ii) has weight per unit area less than weight per unit area of said sealing layer iy); and

said bonding layer ii) has a thickness less than thickness of said sealing layer iv).

- (Previously presented) Sachet according to claim 1, wherein said barrier layer is an aluminum foil, said bonding layer is polyethylene, and said sealing layer is low density polyethylene.
- (Previously presented) Sachet according to claim 1, wherein said paper i) has a weight per unit area of 10-100 g/m<sup>2</sup>.
- 4. (Original) Sachet according to claim 3, wherein said paper i) has a weight per unit area of  $30\text{-}70 \text{ g/m}^2$ .
- (Original) Sachet according to claim 4, wherein said paper i) has a weight per unit area of 40-60 g/m<sup>2</sup>.

- (Previously presented) Sachet according to claim 1, wherein said bonding layer ii) has a weight per unit area of 6-20 g/m<sup>2</sup>.
- (Original) Sachet according to claim 6, wherein said bonding layer ii) has a weight per unit area of 9-18 g/m<sup>2</sup>.
- (Original) Sachet according to claim 7, wherein said bonding layer ii) has a
  weight per unit area of 12-15 g/m<sup>2</sup>.
- 9. (Previously presented) Sachet according to claim 1, wherein said sealing layer iv) has a thickness of 15-50  $\mu m$
- (Previously presented) Sachet according to claim 1, wherein said sealing layer iv)
  has a weight per unit area of 10-100 g/m².
- (Previously presented) Sachet according to claim 1, wherein said barrier layer iii)
   has a thickness of 6-30 µm.
- (Previously presented) Sachet according to claim 1, containing a pharmaceutical formulation.
- (Original) Sachet according to claim 12, wherein said pharmaceutical formulation comprises mesalazine or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.
- 14. (Previously presented) Sachet according to claim 12, said sachet containing an oral pharmaceutical formulation in the form of a granulate comprising more than 55% by weight of mesalazine or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

- (Withdrawn) A method of storing a pharmaceutical composition, comprising storing the pharmaceutical composition in the sachet according to claim 1.
- 16. (Withdrawn) A method of administering a pharmaceutical composition, comprising:

providing the pharmaceutical composition in the sachet according to claim 1; opening sachet; and emptying the pharmaceutical composition from the sachet.

- (Previously presented) Sachet according to claim 10, wherein said sealing layer iv) has a weight per unit area of 15-75 g/m<sup>2</sup>.
- (Previously presented) Sachet according to claim 17, wherein said sealing layer iv) has a weight per unit area of 20-50 g/m<sup>2</sup>.
- (Previously presented) Sachet according to claim 18, wherein said sealing layer iv) has a weight per unit area of 30-40 g/m<sup>2</sup>.
- (Previously presented) Sachet according to claim 19, wherein said sealing layer iv) has a weight per unit area of 35 g/m<sup>2</sup>.
- 21. (Previously presented) Sachet according to claim 11, wherein said barrier layer iii) has a thickness of 7-25 µm.
- (Previously presented) Sachet according to claim 21, wherein said barrier layer
   has a thickness of 9-25 μm.
- (Previously presented) Sachet according to claim 11, wherein said barrier layer
   has a thickness of 8-20 µm.

- (Previously presented) Sachet according to claim 23, wherein said barrier layer
   has a thickness of 9-15 µm.
- 25. (Previously presented) Sachet according to claim 24, wherein said barrier layer iii) has a thickness of 12  $\mu m$ .